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CITIZENS ASKED TO JOIN IN TOMORROW'S PARADE

No Effort Being Spared to Make the Liberty Day Demonstration the Greatest Ever Known in Alexandria—Upwards of Four Thousand Expected in Line.

In compliance with the proclamation issued by President Wilson, Alexandria will celebrate tomorrow as Liberty Loan Day. The committee in charge of the affair has labored earnestly to make it representative of the city, and urgently requests that every resident of Alexandria come out and assist in making the demonstration the largest ever known here.

Complying with the request of President Wilson, cities throughout the land will vie with one another in honoring the day. Virginia, the native State of the President—and Alexandria, the home of Washington, the other great defender of our liberties—should not fail in doing their duty tomorrow. And it rests upon each individual citizen to see that it is creditably done. Do not, therefore, let someone else do what you ought to do.

It is confidently expected that upwards of four thousand will be in the parade. If the people do their duty that number will be out. If they do not the number will fall short.

President Wilson went out and walked in the parades held in the city of Washington during the past summer. Shall not the private citizens of Alexandria do as well? Follow the example of Virginia's son tomorrow.

How the Column Will be Made up.

The column will be made up as follows:

Escort of Boy Scouts.
Band.
Marshal and Aides.
Speakers.
Liberty Loan Committee.
City Officials.
Business Men.
Refreshment Corps of Red Cross.
Troop of Cavalry from Fort Myer.
Band.
12th Regiment Field Artillery.
Alexandria Home Guards.
High School Cadets.
Alexandria Fire Department.
Band.
Alexandria County Schools.
Alexandria City Schools.
Boy Scouts.

The military division will form on Russell road, right resting on King street.

The Fire Department will form on Prince street right resting at West and King streets.

The school children will assemble near the High School building and review the military section and then under direction of the marshal take their position in line.

The city officials, band, committee and business men will meet on Washington street between King and Duke streets at one o'clock, and at half-past one march to their position in the column.

The procession will move promptly at two o'clock.

Mr. J. Y. Williams will be chief marshal Harry Hammond, Wallace Lindsey, Orlando H. Kirk and S. W. Pitts will be aides to chief marshal.

Howard W. Smith will act as marshal for the city officials; R. L. Payne marshal for the business men; Capt. Thomas B. Cochran, marshal for the military; Capt. Kenneth W. Ogden, marshal for the fire department; Harry B. Caton, marshal for the Refreshment Corps; Captain W. H. Sweeney, marshal for the city schools, and George W. Zacharyy, marshal for the county schools.

The Public Meeting.

Representative James B. Aswell of Louisiana, has been secured to deliver the address at the meeting to be held at the monument immediately following the parade, at which Representative Charles C. Carlin, of this city, will preside as chairman. Both gentlemen are eloquent and forcible orators and it will be a pleasure to listen to them on this occasion.

FRENCH TOWNS SACKED.

Germans Dismantle Glass Works at Chauny and Take Attractive Young Women for Servants.

President Lyman Powell, of Hobart College, who has just returned from a tour of England and France, where he was sent to investigate conditions as a representative of the Presidents' Association of Colleges and Universities of the United States, in an address in New York on Sunday declared French villages and towns recently evacuated by German troops have been sacked beyond description.

Dr. Powell described the fate that befell the town of Chauny, in the Aisne Department of France. The little city, he said, was of 10,000 inhabitants, and almost from the time of its founding, in 1664, had been the center of glass manufacture. It came into the hands of the Teutons in the course of their invasion, but last June or July they evacuated it.

"The Germans were not content with the misery they already had caused," he said. "First they dismantled the glass factories, then they herded all the young women and young men into a parking space, and selected the young men for service of one sort or another behind the lines.

"Then they lined up the young women, according to rank in beauty. The highest official chose the fairest as his servant, the next highest officers made their selection, and finally the common soldiers took their pick. At the time I arrived in Chauny only 300 of the original inhabitants were left, and these were old men and women."

GERMAN LOSSES 3,250,000.

Casualty List From August, 1914 to September, 1917—22,000 Pages.

Amsterdam, Oct. 23.—The Cologne correspondent of the Tijd reports that the German casualties lists comprising killed wounded, prisoners and missing from August ,1914, to September, 1917, fill 30 folio volumes of 22,000 pages. He calculates the total number of names at 8,250,000.

$80,000,000 WAR FUND.

M. E. Bishops Fix Annual Budget of Sixteen Million for Five Years.

Atlantic City, N. J., Oct. 23.—A war budget of $16,000,000 annually for the next five years has been fixed upon by the board of bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church, which began its semiannual session here yesterday. It is to be collected from communicants throughout the world and placed in the hands of a special committee, headed by one of the bishops, for administration. The details of the work to be undertaken will be discussed in the course of the sessions this week. The work of raising the money will be assigned equally to the Board of Home Missions, of which Dr. D. D. Forsythe, of Philadelphia, is chairman, and the Board of Foreign Missions, headed by Dr. Frank North and Dr. Earle Taylor, of New York.

The Bishops this week will also consider the question of larger salaries for pastors.

Youths Found.

Officer Garvey yesterday arrested a youth named Joseph Oroscoe, who, it alleged, ran away from a school at Front Royal. He will be turned over to officers of the institution.

From Virginia.

Among those cited by Vice Admiral Sims for their coolness and qualities of leadership in the torpedoing of the U. S. S. Cassin was a son of the Old Dominion, William Arey Heath, blacksmith, of Norfolk county, Va.

WANTED—at once, several young men to complete quota of the University of Virginia Hospital unit. Applicants must be possessed of irreproachable characters, and be in good physical condition. For further information, apply to Mr. A. D. Peyton, 119 south St. Asaph street, between 6 and 7 o'clock p. m. 254-2t.

Notice to City Officers.

All members of City Council and other city officers will please meet me at the corner of King and West streets tomorrow, Wednesday, at 1:45 p. m. to participate in the Liberty Loan Parade.

THOS. A. FISHER, Mayor.

Alexandria City and Suburbs

Amanda Gray, widow of William Gray, died Sunday at the residence of her grand-daughter in Washington. The funeral will take place from Roberts Chapel, on south Washington street, tomorrow afternoon. The deceased had for some time been the only surviving member of the Boudin family, who in ante bellum days resided at the southeast corner of Royal and Wolfe streets. Addison Boudin, who had been a paralytic, died a few years ago. Alexander Boudin, who was a musician, and who died over a half a century ago, will be remembered by the older residents of Alexandria. The Gazette yesterday called attention to the number of Alexandrians who died last Sunday. Only six deaths had been reported when the article was written, but the death of Amanda Gray makes seven. Her husband, William Gray, in by-gone years conducted a butcher's stand in the Alexandria market.

Commonwealth's Attorney Samuel G. Brent will speak at the Richmond theater tonight on the Liberty Loan bonds and Hon. J. R. Caton at the Surprise theater.

There will be a called meeting of the Columbia Steam Fire Engine Company tonight at 7:30 o'clock. All members are requested to attend this meeting as their showing in tomorrow's Liberty Loan Parade depends on the number of members present at tonight's meeting.

Mr. Charles A. Sheets will be ordained to the ministry at the Second Baptist church in this city this evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. Dr. E. B. Jackson of the First Baptist church, will preach the ordination sermon. Rev. E. Hez Swem, of Washington, will deliver the charge. Other clergymen will be present and participate in the exercises from Manassas, Clarendon, Fort Myer Heights, Del Ray and Washington.

The Catholic Women's Benevolent Legion will hold the euchre tonight in St. Mary's Hall instead of 412 Prince street.

The Reliance Engine Company will hold an important meeting tonight in their house at 8 o'clock. Immediately following, an oyster roast will be given, to which all members are cordially invited.

The Gazette has been requested to state that the rooms of the Red Cross are open on Wednesdays at the usual hours and that workers are invited to "do their bit" by calling and getting work.

The Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company and The Bryant Fertilizer Company of this city have advised their customers that they will accept the new Liberty Bonds at par in settlement of accounts due to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars each.

VIRGINIA POLITICS DULL.

Voters More Interested in Liberty Loan Drive Than Election.

An effort to make prohibition the paramount issue in dry Virginia's gubernatorial contest by the Republicans and certain radical temperance leaders for the purpose of injuring Westmoreland Davis, the Democratic candidate for Governor, has fallen flat. In fact, campaign speakers returning from that State to Washington says the Old Dominion people are so absorbed in the war and the Liberty Loan campaign that it is impossible to get them interested in State politics, notwithstanding a whole State ticket, from Governor down, and a new Legislature is to be elected in November.

Henry St. George Tucker of Lexington, who has been campaigning in the Valley for Mr. Davis, was in Washington Saturday and announced he found the Virginia voters thinking more about the war than about any state political issue.

"It did not take me long to find out that the audiences I addressed wanted to hear the war discussed," said Mr. Tucker. "Also, when the case against Germany was made clear to them there quickly developed a strong sentiment for the war's prosecution."

Senator C. A. Swanson, who has been in the State making several campaign speeches, also said his hearers wanted war issues, and not State political issues, discussed. He said it is hard to stir up any political enthusiasm.

The Democrats are confident of electing Mr. Davis by a normal majority. They say Mr. Muncey, the Republican candidate, has dismally failed to create any sentiment for his ticket and the effort to make prohibition the leading issue has failed, leaving the Republicans with little to discuss from the stump.

To The Retail Merchants of Alexandria.

Gentlemen:—

In order to comply with the proclamation of the President of the United States, the Liberty Loan Committee have arranged a public demonstration in the shape of a parade for Wednesday, October 24th, which has been designated as Liberty Loan Day.

The retail trade of the city have been requested to close for the afternoon, with the understanding that their employees participate in the celebration by lining up with the business section of the parade.

We trust that we can depend on your co-operation in this important work and request each and every one of your employees to assist in making this demonstration as forcible as possible.

The Retail Merchants Ass'n.
S. W. Pitts, President.

Notice to Confederate Veterans.

R. E. Lee Camp of Confederate Veterans will assemble in uniform at the Camp Hall tomorrow, Oct. 24, at 1:30 p. m., to join in the Liberty Loan parade. A full turnout is enjoined. By order of Commander Zimmerman.

EDGAR WARFIELD,
Adjutant.
254-1t.

IN THE BATTLE FOR BUSINESS QUICK ACTION WINS.

Send your messages by the Postal Telegraph Cable Company. The fastest telegraph service in the world. Local office, 427 King street, Bell Phone 84. 254-2t.

There will be a special called meeting of Relief Hook and Ladder Company Tuesday, Oct. 23, 1917, at 7:30 p. m. Every member is urged to be present. By order of the President.

Relief Hook and Ladder Co.
253-2t.

SACRIFICING BOYS.

About 30 Per Cent of Hindenburg's Cannon Fodder Are Beardless Boys.

About 30 per cent of Hindenburg's cannon fodder in the recent Ypres sector fighting—nearly one-third of those whose mangled bodies carpeted the ground in the British advance or were included in the constant stream of prisoners—were of the 1918 class of youths. Nothing could illustrate Germany's waning man-power more forcibly than this crowding of mere boys into the front ranks. Headquarters figures showed that of the total German draft of 1917, approximately one-half had been made up of what was really the 1918 classes.

Thousands of these German boys have been sacrificed in the terrible British artillery fire. One letter found in the pocket of just such a beardless boy soldier declared, "Of my company of 140 men all have been lost except eighteen, and the same ratio applies to my whole regiment. One German diarist entered this note: "In four days the British have smashed seven of our divisions."

ALEXANDRIA LIBRARY.

List of New Volumes Which Have Recently Been Secured for Use of Members.

Following is the list of new books recently added to the Alexandria Library:

Man in Evening Clothes—John Reed Scott.
Treasure Train—Arthur B. Reeve.
Kenny—Leona Dalrymple.
Secret Witness—George Gibbs.
The Yellow Dove—George Gibbs.
Long Live the King—Mary Roberts Rinehart.
Luck of the Irish—Harold McGrath.
Finished—H. Rider Haggard.
The Green Fancy—George Barr McCutcheon.
The High Heart—Basil King.
Anne's House of Dreams—L. M. Montgomery.
Long Lane's Turning—Hallie E. Rives.
The Dwelling Place of Light—Winston Churchill.
My Four Years in Germany—James W. Gerard.
Monthly Popular Science Magazine.

Notice to Business Men.

A section of the Liberty Loan Parade to be held Wednesday, October 24th, in obedience to the proclamation of President Wilson, has been set apart for the business men of Alexandria. All business men are urgently requested to close their places of business at noon, and, with their employees, meet at the corner of King and Washington streets at one o'clock to perform their patriotic duty.

R. L. PAYNE,
Marshall, Business Men's Section, Liberty Loan Parade.

THE SYNOD OF VIRGINIA

Over Two Hundred Delegates Expected to Arrive in the City to Attend Opening Session Tonight.

The Gazette takes pleasure in welcoming to Alexandria the two hundred or more delegates who will arrive in the city today to attend the 130th annual session of the Presbyterian Synod of Virginia which will open this evening. It sincerely hopes their sojourn here may prove profitable to them from the good that shall come from the discourses and discussions they may hear as well as pleasant socially.

The Synod embraces all the Presbyterian churches in Virginia, a portion of Maryland and the District of Columbia. The local church will be represented by the pastor, Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison, and Elder George Uhler. The Second Presbyterian church is observing its Centennial this month, and last fall at Lexington, Va., invited the Synod to be their guest at this time thus adding interest and significance to the occasion.

The following order of business and exercises will be observed with some changes, possibly. This afternoon at 4 o'clock enrollment of ministers and elders. At 8 o'clock tonight the opening sermon will be preached by the moderator, Rev. Dr. W. R. Laird, of Danville, Va.

Wednesday morning's session will open at 9:30 with devotional exercises, followed by reports from committees. At 12 o'clock the Synodical communion service will be held, Rev. Dr. George L. Petrie of Charlottesville preaching the sermon. At 3 o'clock the subject of foreign missions will be taken up, and a report given by chairman Rev. Dr. E. W. McCorkle, of Rockbridge Baths, Va. The subject of Evangelism will come up at 4 o'clock with a report by Rev. H. M. Moffett. In the evening at 8 o'clock Rev. Dr. Edward Mack of the Union Seminary, Richmond, will deliver an address on the Protestant Reformation.

Thursday's Program.

The program for Thursday will include the following: 11 o'clock a. m., Synod's Home Missions. Report by Rev. Dr. J. E. Booker, of Hampden Sidney, Va.,; 3 o'clock p. m., Sunday schools; report by Rev. J. J. Fix, of Roanoke, Va.; and addresses by members of the Synod Hampden Sidney College; address by Dr. A. W. McWhorter, acting President—In the evening at 8 o'clock, address by Rev. Dr. H. H. Sweets, of Louisville, Ky., on the "Fourfold Cause."

Friday's Program.

Friday 10 a. m., Bible Cause. Report by Rev. Dr. J. Calvin Stewart, of Richmond, Va. At 12 o'clock, Memorials on deceased ministers followed by adjournment.

Owing to repairs being made on the Second Presbyterian church building, the business sessions and popular meetings will all be held in the old First church on south Fairfax street. Committee meetings will all be held in the Westminster building.

Mr. Robert L. Payne, chairman of the entertainment committee, and Dr. C. L. Lindsey, vice chairman, with their assistants, are doing all in their power to have the delegates enjoy their stay while in the city.

HORRIBLE CASE OF NEGLECT AND INHUMANITY

Foreman of Diving Crew Sends Divers Down to Bottom of Potomac River and then Neglects to Pump Air to Them, Causing Death.—Foreman has Narrow Escape for his Life from Relatives of Men who were Lost.

Can you picture the sadness that would be felt in the homes of Alexandria if the news columns of the Gazette contained something like the above some day, and the horror and indignation that would be felt against the foreman who would be guilty of such neglect or carelessness as to allow his men to take their lives in their hands and go down into the depths of the river, depending upon him to keep them supplied with the breath of life while they were engaged in their most dangerous occupation?

It is horrible to even think of and almost impossible to conceive that there could be such a man (outside the German army) but, do you know that many people right here in Alexandria are said to be hesitating and practically doing the same kind of an act by failing to realize their personal responsibility and duty by not buying a Liberty bond and thus furnish the means to keep strength in the bodies of the young men of America who have gone to foreign lands to fight for the Democracy of the world.

The money that is derived by our government from the sale of these bonds is as indispensable as the air is to the diver down at the bottom of the river. They must have it to live. Would you let your son, or your neighbor's son, or your brother suffer and die if you could prevent it? Don't make the excuse even to yourself, that somebody else will furnish the money.

Let us all DO OUR DUTY.

May we have the proud satisfaction of knowing that no one in the city of Alexandria failed to do his or her part in lending their money to help keep our young men in France physically fit to bear the hardships of war and "make the world safe for Democracy."

EXPECT NEW PEACE OFFER.

German Conquest of Courland May Have Effect on Russia.

It was predicted in well-informed neutral quarters here yesterday that a separate German peace offer to Russia will follow quickly on the German conquest of Courland. It is elsewhere predicted that the offer will meet with refusal.

The latter prediction is based upon assurances early made by the provisional government to the United States and the other allies and from time to time renewed that the obligations of the old government would be sustained by the new, and upon the interpretation placed here upon the peace terms yesterday sketched by the council of workmen's and soldiers' delegates.

Washington officials were somewhat amused at the boldness of the Russian conference in proposing the internationalization of the Panama Canal. But they see in one phase of the peace terms of Russia's most radical and at the same time most powerful group an assurance which is more than welcome here.

Assurance that the Kerensky government will stick by its bargain to fight until Germany is beaten have been made in terms strong enough to warrant the United States in loaning Russia a hundred million dollars as shortly as four weeks ago.

No one will venture to predict that the conquest of Courland will be difficult for the Germans. The climate of this country is no more severe at this time of year than that of New England. It will permit of vigorous campaigning for at least another month.

Fourteen to Forty in Five Reels.

At the Richmond Theatre tomorrow Fannie Ward, the popular exponent of "young thinking," as she calls it will appear in "On the Level," in which she gives a remarkably vivid portrayal of the life of a girl, from barefooted shepherdess days, through scenes that are intense in their reality in western dance halls and ranches, to a mature womanhood of wealth and luxury. The transition from one epoch in the life of the woman she was picturing, to another, was extremely difficult and for a less experienced actress than Miss Ward would have been well nigh impossible.

At the Richmond Theatre tonight Vivian Martin will be seen in "Little Miss Optimist."

"The Black Crook" with an all star cast will be the attraction at the Surprise.

Advance in Price.

Owing to the increased cost of materials and labor, the price of shining shoes will be advanced from five to ten cents on and after Oct. 26, at our shop.

Alexandria Shoe Shine Parlors.
254-3t.

WANTED — Three rooms, living room, sleeping room and bath. Must be heated. Would like them in central part of city. Address gentleman, care Gazette office. 254-6t.

BAG NINETEEN PLANES.

British Lose Five Machines in Aerial War With Germans.

London, Oct. 23.—Nineteen German airplanes were winged by British flyers within the last seventy-two hours thus:

Two were shot down by British seaplanes raiding the German aerodromes at Vlissighem and Houttave, in Belgium.

Two were sent sinking to earth utterly disabled after a lively combat between five British scouts and twenty Teuton machines.

One was blown to pieces by a bomb hurled from British machines that raided a Teuton aerodrome at Roulers Saturday.

One, hit by a bomb in the same raid, fell through the center of a hangar.

Seven crashed to earth in full view of the airdrome, having been riddled with machine gun bullets by the raiders.

Four were driven out of control in a raid ten miles north of Saar Bruecken on the same day.

In addition to these, another Teuton machine was seen to be hit by a bomb just as she was about to ascend.

In all these enterprises the British lost only five machines.

The raid near Saar Bruecken, which lies in Rhenish, Prussia, some forty miles from Treves, repeatedly raided by the French, is looked upon as the first of a series of promised reprisals for the German attacks on London.

The German admiralty yesterday indirectly admitted the loss of four of the Zeppelins which raided England and France Friday night, stating that, "according to French news they were shot down or forced to land." It is added that no details of the airships' fate are at hand.

HAIG STRIKES AGAIN.

Highly Successful Operations About Poelcapelle Reported.

London, Oct. 23.—Highly successful operations in the neighborhood of Poelcapelle and in conjunction with the French south of Houtholst Forest are reported in the communication from Field Marshal Haig last night. The whole of the objectives, including many strong points, were captured.

The British carried other valuable positions southeast of Poelcapelle and their objectives and, further north, co-operating with the French, captured the southern defences of Houtholst farms.

The Allies are established firmly well beyond the southern boundary of the forest.

Paris, Oct. 23.—The French troops spent most of yesterday along the front to the left of the British in consolidating the ground which they gained in their early morning attack, when appreciable progress was made. On both the Aisne and Verdun fronts heavy artillery actions were in progress.

Salt Water and Potomac Oysters. J. Brill, No. 2, King street. Phone 307.

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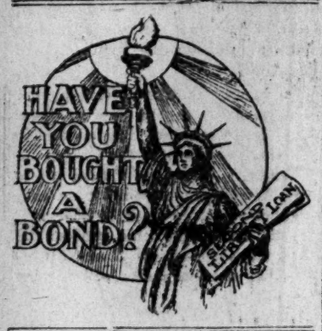

THE CURSE OF HEAVEN.

The Gazette yesterday gave the circumstances in connection with the arrest early Sunday morning of a woman, long notorious in Alexandria, on the charge of conducting a disreputable house in the northeastern section of the city. The accused was not allowed to leave collateral, but was made to face the Police Court yesterday morning. While the court was unable to obtain any positive evidence against the woman, there was every reason to believe she was guilty of the charge alleged against her, but she was dismissed. A man and a woman, however, who were found in the house under certain circumstances were fined $50 each.

The proprietress of the house had barely reached her home when she was again taken in custody by the Deputy United States Marshal and brought before the commissioner from this district in the postoffice building, when the evidence of two United States agents was heard, which proved to the satisfaction of the commissioner that the woman was conducting an evil resort, and she was required to furnish bail in the sum of $500 for her appearance before the United States District Court.

The case has caused considerable comment in this city, as several years ago what was known as the "Red Light" district on north Lee street was supposed to have been eliminated by the Judge of the Corporation Court of this city. The visitors to the house when the federal agents and the Alexandria policemen entered were soldiers and sailors.

Dealing frankly and boldly with the social evil as a menace to the nation's military efficiency, Secretary Daniels, of the Navy, in an address in Chicago Saturday night, before the Clinical Congress of Surgeons of North America appealed to the memedical profession "to end the false double standard that decreases military effectiveness." The profession he declared must share its part of the blame for the "unpardonable prudery that endured a festering evil rather than have it exposed and eradicated.

"There is not an army in the field whose effectiveness is not reduced by reason of immoral disease," said Secretary Daniels. "The Navy suffers likewise, and business halts because diseases destroy the manhood of workmen and fighters. During the last statistical year men of the American Navy lost 141,378 days' sickness from a small group of absolutely preventable diseases, or rather, diseases contracted by sin. This means that every day throughout the year there are 456 men disabled by this disgraceful malady Add to that number those required to care for the disabled, and we have enough men on the noneffective list each day to man a modern battleship, and this does not count those who, though diseased, were not disabled or the evil of the loathing danger of contagion to the clean members of the crew."

Holy writ tells us we reap what we sow. The story of the discovery of America is one of the first imparted to us in Sunday and regular schools. It is pleasant reading after we become adults. But—having reached manhood and womanhood—when we glance at the sidelights, the trail of the serpent is seen. What Secretary Daniels referred to was unknown in the world before Columbus and his men returned to Europe. It is believed to have been a curse of heaven sent upon the Spanish sailors, who we know was not as Caesar's wife. During the past four centuries this curse originating among aborigines and white men has spread over the globe, and is believed to be the incipient cause of many of the maladies which afflict the innocent and guilty alike.

PLANNING THE NEXT WAR.

Despairing of winning a decisive victory in this war, some of Germany's public men are already talking of another struggle in which they hope to be more successful. This is to be even more ruthless than the present contest, if one may believe their words. No regard is to be paid to international law, and every consideration of humanity, of respect for civil populations, is to be ignored. Thus at least Professor Paul Eltzbacher, instructor in law in the Berlin Commercial College, puts it in an article in Das Grossere Deutschland. After a defense of merciless submarine warfare and air raids on civilian populations, which are intended to fill them "with terror and distaste for the war." he throws the old international law out of the window and says it must not be restored. Continuing, he says:

Our General Staff and our other authorities, in preparing for the next war, will see to it that from the outset we are supplied as well as possible with food and raw materials. Our Admiralty Staff will provide us with the submarine with which, in future, we shall be able to conduct the war against the civil population of that State which, for the last three years, has cut off food from our women and children, and thereby paved the way for the new international law, which henceforward will serve as a sure foundation for our submarine trade war.

Not only on land, but on the sea also, Germany must be supreme. This is the view of Winand Engel, who contributes an article to the same magazine. In part he says:

German policy also is forced to obtain for itself by all conceivable means domination over the world sea. I deliberately use the expression 'domination over the world sea" and not the expression 'freedom of the seas," which is so common today. The latter expression is either dishonest or stupid. The sea is free for us only if we dominate it. If we do not dominate it, it can one day be shut to us.

This domination is to be obtained by defeating Great Britain. After that will probably come the United States' turn.

The Philadelphia Record says if such views are largely held by the German people they bode ill for the future peace of the world. Germany must be beaten now, and beaten beyond the shadow of a doubt, if war is not to become the chronic condition of the globe.

SERIOUS RESPONSIBILITY.

The dawn of the twentieth century was hailed by the great mass of people in civilized countries as the advent of a golden era, when war would be a thing of the past, while "Peace on earth good will to men," as sung by angelic choristers over nineteen hundred years ago, would be a reality. It is unnecessary to refer to the fearful storm which broke over three years ago and the frightful bolts which are still shooting from black clouds which encircle the globe.

But we are not referring entirely to the war which is distracting our planet, but to the fact that children—boys and girls alike—are manifesting a fierceness which is an indication that we are living in perilous times.

Scenes in New York, during the past few days, when between ten and fifteen thousand juveniles became dissatisfied with school conditions, played truant en masse and marched through the streets with banners bearing inscriptions "We want socialism!" "Down with the high cost of living!" "Down with the Gary system!" etc. The youngsters attacked school buildings, and injured a number of people.

The question is pertinent: "Where did these thoughtless ones get their ideas of socialism and defiance of law? There is but one answer: From their elders.

In the good old times when families gathered at supper tables, the subjects discussed, in the main were the Bible and history. Children were shown the evil of disobedience, and the straight and narrow path of life was always kept before their eyes. It is not so now—that is in thousands of home—but socialism, often anarchyy, are topics which children are made to believe are principles taught in heaven. Such parents are sowing the wind, and they will surely reap the whirlwind.

Thoughtful people often soliloquize over possible conditions after this terrible war. Another generation is in transitu. Is it to launch outhawry into the world, when every man will be a law unto himself? We see the outcropping of defiance on the part of the young in all communities, many of whom are disposed to think they should be allowed to do suit themselves.

PASTOR'S APPEAL.

Dr. G. L. Petrie, a Confederate Veteran, who has been pastor of the Charlottesville Presbyterian Church for nearly 40 years, has issued an appeal in behalf of the Liberty Loan. It is as follows:

My Liberty Loan Creed.

To the Liberty Loan Committee:

I believe that all that is most sacred to us is involved in the issue of this great world war.

I believe that the war cannot be won without money, no matter how many soldiers are enlisted.

I believe that as I cannot go I ought to give.

I believe that as the soldiers are giving themselves and their money, I should give liberally of my money.

I believe that, if the war ends in our success, I shall wish to share in its glories.

I believe that, if our cause is lost, I shall be humiliated if I withhold my hand when my country and the world needed my help.

I believe that it is my duty and my privilege to subscribe liberally to the Liberty Loan.

A WAR TO END WARS.

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BULGARIA FOR BREAK.

(Baltimore American)

In view of the absolute conditions of silence imposed upon the Bulgarian Minister in Washington lest he anger this country by one form of expression, or Germany his nation's ally, by another, the fact that he has consented to say that he could not conceive of the possibility of the United States and Bulgaria fighting one another is more than a sign of the way the wind is blowing in the Balkans. It may disclose as well why the Allies have not carried out the drive through Serbia and for release of that country from the Teutons and the recovery of Rumania. The Allies may see wisdom in not complicating the Balkan situation that has been complicated through the action of the Teutons.

The Bulgarians have lost expectation of the Germans keeping faith with them even if this could be done, and they see the sure defeat of the Teutons. Bulgaria has nothing to gain by going down with the Teutons in the great crash. It has everything to gain by throwing its weight on the side of the Entente Allies, particularly in view of the disposition of the United States to demand respect for racial claims.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Under the above heading the Gazette will be pleased to give reasonable space to any person who desires to make comment upon matters of general interest to the public. Writers will of course be responsible for their utterances. As a guarantee of good faith, the name and address of the writer of any article submitted for publication will be required in each instance.—Editor Gazette.

Wants Representative Women on School Board.

Editor Gazette:

In reading the Gazette Saturday night I was interested in the statement that a number of vacancies will soon be filled on the city School Board. I think we owe the retiring members a vote of thanks for giving so much of their time in the interest of our schools.

I would respectfully suggest, however, that when new members are chosen, that three of our representative women be placed on the Board. This would not be an innovation, as many of our progressive cities have women on their School Boards, for all admit that women whether mothers or not, are vitally awake to the welfare of the children.

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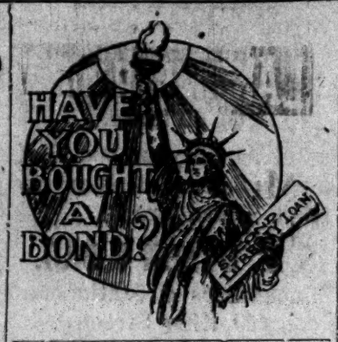

NEWS OF THE DAY

General Haig will conduct a winter campaign. His blows in Flanders have brought on what promises to be a cabinet crisis in Germany and the allies have sufficient wealth of resources and material to keep up those blows. The German land and naval offensive against Russia is a desperate effort to bolster the breaking morale of the German masses. What advantages the enemy has gained in the Baltic in no way offset the allied victories in Flanders. These striking statements were made last night by Secretary of War Baker in his weekly review of the progress of the war.

More than 12,000 German deserters have found refuge in Switzerland, according to the Swiss paper Bund, official Rome cables yesterday stated.

German troops have been landed on Werder Peninsula, more than 100 miles in the rear of the Russian army north of Riga. This spells a grave menace to the entire Russian battle line, the outflanking of which is believed to be the basic aim of the entire German sea and land forces.

M. Lipschibe, manager of a moving picture theatre in Covington Ky., was mobbed by an angry crowd of several hundred persons yesterday, when it was alleged, he interfered with a liberty bond speaker. Lipschibe was dragged from the theater and roughly handled. A riot call brought the police who saved him. The trouble started when Lipschibe's Americanism was questioned by Commonwealth's Attorney Stephen Blakely. Lipschibe was made to promise he would buy a liberty bond, permit loan speakers the use of his theater and drape it with American flags.

In preparation for the visit of Billy Sunday, the evangelist, who will conduct a revival in Washington beginning next January 6, the general committees met last night in Epiphany Church parish hall. In addition to the committees there were present, representatives from 60 churches in the District. It was announced that the Sunday campaign would cost $50,000 and that pledges for this amount must be subscribed.

Bravery of the personnel of the Russian Riga gulf fleet has, for the time being at least, balked Germany of the chief benefit which it had hoped from its great naval offensive in that section.

Testimony that during the race riots in East St. Louis Ill., July 2, a mob threw a negro child into a burning house after it had escaped from the flames, was given at the congressional inquiry into the riots yesterday by Edwin Popkess, a reporter for a St. Louis, Mo., newspaper. He said he also saw four or five National Guardmen shoot and kill two negroes who ran from a burning house.

Charles S. Nesbit, superintendent of insurance of the District of Columbia, has been designated by Secretary McAdoo as commissioner of insurance in the government's War Risk Insurance Bureau. Mr. Nesbit, under the direction of the treasury, will have charge of the soldiers and sailors' war insurance administration.

A telegram reaching New York yesterday from the American Legation at Copenhagen through the State Department says hundreds of persons are literally starving to death in the streets of Warsaw and other cities of Paland and Lithuenia.

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BREAD AND SPUDS RATIONS.

Scantier Supplies of Meat, Butter and Milk in Germany Likely.

Copenhagen, Oct. 23.—A strongly censored official report of the discussion of the food condition by the budget committee of the Prussian diet, the session of which was held behind closed doors, shows that except for the potato crop, which promises to be satisfactory, the food situation is by no means as rosy as the government has been trying to paint it.

The grain situation is such that only hope not certainty, could be expressed that the bread supply will last the entire year, and in any case the present bread ration can be maintained only by the use of surrogates, further affecting the quality of the bread, for which flour now is milled to 94 per cent of the grain. Conditions have not permitted improvement of the flour by less exhaustive milling.

Bread and potatoes will be the bulk of the ration, as the meat allowance will almost certainly be reduced. Milk and butter will be available even in scantier amounts than now, when infants' milk allowance has had to be reduced.

The socialists, who demanded an open discussion, announce that they will speak freely when the debate on food is held in an open session of the diet.

Advices from Budapest say that the prospects for the passage of the cabinet's franchise reform bill are slight owing to the adverse attitude of Count Andrassy who has sent a memorial to the king against the measure. The Wekerle cabinet, whose fate is bound up in that of the measure is thereby placed in a critical position.

WAR ON COAL HOARDERS.

Fuel Administration Finds Industrial Plants With Vast Stores on Hand.

Washington, Oct. 23.—The Fuel Administration has declared war on the coal hoarders. It was announced yesterday that an investigation will be made of 100,000 large industrial plants in the country to determine how much coal they have "cached." Also, the State and local fuel administrators will be directed to ascertain the amount individual households have stored away.

In making this announcement this afternoon officials at the Fuel Administration declared that more than 1,000,000 tons of coal have already been found among six or seven big industrial plants in Cleveland, Ohio, and their preliminary information is that thousands of other plants, especially in the Middle West, have been buying coal and putting it away.

The Fuel Administration at present will take no drastic steps against the hoarders. Coal operators will be ordered to stop shipments to such plants. Some of these plants, which have stored away large quantities, are now receiving a normal supply to keep them in operation. It has not yet been determined whether to confiscate any part of the hoarded coal. Such a step will be decided by conditions. If dire suffering prevails, say in a city like Cleveland, where the industries have more than 1,000,000 tons of coal hoarded for future use, the local administrator will be given authority to confiscate enough to relieve suffering.

Fuel Administration officials also said that no steps had been taken to shut off the supply of coal to candy manufacturers and other manufacturers of luxuries. They said this step would not be taken unless it became necessary. The supply to manufacturers of luxuries, it was said would be curtailed at first and then entirely shut off if conditions demanded such action.

BLACKS AS FIGHTERS.

Senegalese Anxious to Pay Old Scores Against Germans.

"You white men are forced to fight; we are volunteers," say proudly France's colonial soldiers when they reply to questions as to the reason for their coming to Europe to fight. Whether they come from Senegal, Madagascar or Somaliland, all of them express gladness at the opportunity to pay off old scores for cruelties committed on their kindred in the German colonies in Africa, the news of which has been spread among them from one end of the continent to the other by their mysterious methods of communication. All of them know of the fate of the Herrero nation in German Southwest Africa, where only a few wandering groups remain alive of what once was a powerful negro tribe.

Undoubtedly the most popular of the French colonial volunteers are the coalblack Senegalese. Their courage in the field and their devotion to their white officers have become proverbial. The mentality of these tribesmen is almost infantile in its simplicity, but they are quick to learn.

It has been asserted erroneously that negro troops are not able to support the strain of a bombardment. Douaumont, the battle of the Asine, the Somme offensive, the attack at Laffaux Mill and the defense of Craonne and the California and Casemates plateau have all been scenes of the heroic courage of the negro troops under artillery fire of the most terrific character.

NO PEACE IN SIGHT.

Would Only be an Armed Truce Now, Says Lloyd George, Ending in Worse.

London, Oct. 23.—"I have scanned the horizon intently," said Premier Lloyd-George yesterday, "and can see no terms in sight which will lead to enduring peace. The only terms now possible would mean an armed truce ending in an even more frightful struggle."

The Premier said he had hoped the enemy's terrible power might be broken this year, but that the temporary collapse of the Russian military power had postponed this hope. But time was on the side of the Allies, he said. Time once was neutral, but two things have changed this—namely, the advent of America and the increasing failure of the German submarine war.

The Allies are working in the greatest harmony, the Premier continued. He said they were on the eve of the most important inter-allied conference ever held, at which for the first time representatives of America and of the Russian democracy would be present. He stated that the conference meant to determine the ultimate issue of the war.

Mr. Lloyd-George said Germany would make peace now only on terms which would enable her to benefit by the war. He asserted that would be encouragement to every buccaneering empire in the future to repeat the experiment.

To realize what the advent of America meant, the Premier went on, it was necessary only to look back on the rapid growth of the little British army. America was now starting, and its resources in man power were twice those of Britain.

"The way to shorten the war," said Mr. Lloyd George, "was to prepare for a long war." He added:

"I am not going to predict when the war will end. No man in his senses would prolong the war an hour longer than is necessary to secure a lasting peace, but it must be a lasting peace, not a prelude to a more devastating war."

"Our real enemy," he continued, "is the war spirit fostered in Prussia. There will be no peace in the world until the shrine of the war spirit in Potsdam is shattered and its priesthood is dispersed and discredited forever."

SNAKE SCARE NEARLY FATAL.

Boy Falls From Boat Into Canal Basin, But Mate Rescues Him.

Bristol, Pa., Oct. 23.—Mistaking the head of a water snake thrust above the side of their boat for the periscope of a submarine, Raymond Swain, aged 8, fell overboard in the canal basin Sunday afternoon, but was rescued by his companion, Willie Connelly, aged 10.

It was Connelly's third rescue of playmates from drowning, and a Carnegie medal will be asked for him.

After Swain was safe, Connelly killed the snake.

Traffic had been restored early yesterday over the Southern railway main line following the disastrous wreck at Larmond, two miles from Orange, in which the northbound New York-New Orleans limited sideswiped a local at it was drawing from a switch, with the consequent death of Engineer Larmond and the negro fireman Johnson of the local.

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Now it is fine and patriotic to cheer as they march away, and fine and patriotic to fly a flag or paste a poster on your automobile, but that isn't enough. Getting right down to the meat of things, something else is required besides cheers and bursts of enthusiasm, and that something is —MONEY.

Money to secure every modern invention, every device, every support and every comfort for this army which is prepared to make the supreme sacrifice if necessary. The good folks back home—the good folks whose hearts are in the right place—are going to lend the money.

The quicker it is done the smaller will be the casualty lists, and a rousing big-subscription to the Second Liberty Loan will take some of the fight out of the enemy. You're going to do it; all you need is a little rousing. You're going to lend your money to your Government, and you're going to do it today.

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NEW RECORD FLIGHT.

Resnati and Passengers Suffer From Cold in 300-Mile Trip.

Mineola, L. I., Oct. 23.—Setting a new world record, Lieut. Emilio Resnati, in a Caproni airplane, carrying eight passengers, flew from Newport News, Va., to Mineola, more than 300 miles, in four hours and fifteen minutes yesterday afternoon.

The Italian army flyer drove his machine 4,500 feet in the clouds at an average speed of about seventy-two miles an hour. The lieutenant was forced to make two stops from Newport News.

Although the aviator and his passengers were heavily clad they suffered severely from the cold on the trip. They were met at Mineola by Col. V. LaSalle Rockwell and Gen. Emilio Guglielmotti, the latter military attache to the Italian Embassy.

Lieut. Baldiolo, with only a United States army officer as a passenger, piloted a Pomelio plane and made the trip in 2 hours and 55 minutes. He left Newport News at 10:05 a. m., yesterday, making the trip without incident. His machine made the trip carrying a machine gun and had accommodations for six 65-pound bombs.

U. S. CONFISCATES SUPPLIES.

Cotton Worth $143,000,000 Among Goods to be Taken.

New York, Oct, 23.—One million bales of cotton, worth $143,000,000, are included in the German-owned supplies stored in this country which the government plans to seize, according to reports in circulation here yesterday.

Government seizure of immense stores of cotton, steel, copper, nickel, leather, oils, chemicals and other supplies bought by German agents before the United States entered the war was reported here today as having already started.

The supplies said to have been seized are valued at approximately $3,000,000. American brokers are holding these supplies, valued at hundreds of millions of dollars, in the names of the German agents.

The seizures are being made, it is reported, under the trading with the enemy act. This law gives the government the right to take over all German property here, just as German ships were taken, and settle for it after the war. It is understood all supplies seized will be shared, as much as possible, with the allies.

AIRDOME BOMBED.

Docks at Bruges and Ostend U-boat Base Also Attacked.

London, Oct. 22,—British naval planes dropped a large quantity of bombs on the Engel airdome and the docks at Bruges, in Belgium, on Friday night, causing a fire in the German establishments. The text of a British admiralty statement says:

"On the night of the 19th of October and the morning of the 20th, bombing raids by naval aircraft were carried out on the Bruges docks and the Engel airdrome. A fire is reported to have broken out. Large quantities of explosives were dropped. All our machines returned.

Berlin, Oct. 22.—The Belgian port of Ostend, which is a submarine base of the Germans on the North Sea, has been bombarded from the sea, it was announced by the German war office yesterday, houses in the town being damaged.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

Over Mayor William Hale Thompson's veto the Chicago city council yesterday passed a resolution commending Governor Frank O. Lowden for sending troops to Chicago last summer to prevent a meeting of the People's Council of America for Democracy and Terms of Peace.

Four thousand persons were killed and 10,000 wounded in Stefeld, Austria's great arsenal, in a series of explosions on June 16, according to official Rome cables. Workers who miraculously escaped were forced by the armed guard to return to their tasks.

There were two interesting events at Camp Lee yesterday afternoon and last night. The former was the reviewing of the soldiers from Virginia by Governor Henry C. Stuart and the reviewing of those from West Virginia by Governor John J. Cornwell. Governor Brumbaugh, of Pennsylvania, was expected to be present to review the soldiers from the Keystone State, but was detained at home. General Cronkhite, commander of the Eightieth Division, was present at the review of the troops, who made a fine showing and were the recipients of high praise from the two governors. The other event was the dedication last night of the auditorium of the new Young Men's Christian Association building. The exercises were attended by fully 5,000 persons, including 3,000 soldiers. Addresses were made by Governor Stuart, Governor Cornwell, General Cronkhite and others. The auditorium cost $16,000 and has a seating capacity of 3,000.

Charles Brooks, of Winchester was shot and killed Monday by the accidental explosion of a gun in the hands of a hunting companion, Howard Doleman, on Dr. Lewis Mallen's farm, near Gaylord, where they were employed. Doleman stumbled over a rock, discharging his gun. The load entered Brooks' back. Brooks was 33 years old and leaves his widow and seven children.

LEGAL NOTICES

In the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia.

Hattie Everett, complainant. Vs. John Henry Everett, defendant. In Chancery.

Upon the application of the complainant stating specifically the last known place of abode of the defendant, and that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the clerk on this 16th day of October, 1917, doth grant the following order of publication:

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree granting to the complainant an absolute divorce from the defendant on the grounds of willful desertion and abandonment for a period of more than three years prior to the institution of this suit.

An affidavit having been filed, that the defendant, John Henry Everett, is not a resident of this State, and that the said defendant not having entered his appearance, it is this day ordered that he do appear in the Clerks Office, of our said Court, within fifteen days after the due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit; that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a news paper published in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, once a week for four successive weeks, and a copy posted at the front door of the Court House of this City, on or before the next succeeding rule day after this order is entered, that a copy of this order of publication be sent by registered mail by the Clerk of this Court, addressed to the said non-resident defendant at No. 1606 New Hampshire Avenue, North West, Washington, in the District of Columbia, the last known post office address and place of abode of the said defendant.

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Thomas M. Watson, William O. Davis, P. Q.
250.-4w.

State of Virginia, City of Alexandria, In the Clerks Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia. On the 18th day of October, 1917.

Paul Sollenberger, Complainant, vs. Clara Dean Wilmore Sollenberger Defendant. In Chancery.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree divorcing Complainant from said defendant a mensa et thoro on the ground of abandonment and desertion, and for general relief.

An affidavit having been made and filed that the said defendant Clara Dean Wilmore Sollenberger is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that she do hereby appear here within fifteen days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interests in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the said City of Alexandria, Virginia, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the Court House of this city on the 18th day of October, 1917, and that a copy be mailed by the Clerk of this Court, by registered mail, addressed to the said defendant Clara Dean Wilmore Sollenberger at Gradyville, Adair County, Kentucky.

Signed at Alexandria City, Virginia, in vacation of the Circuit Court of said City, October 18th, 1917.

Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
G. Washington Lewis, P. Q.
251-4w.

At a Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, continued and held at the Court house of said City on Monday, October 22nd, 1917. Present, Hon. Louis C. Barley, Judge.

Mayme E. Burch Volland, Complainant vs. David Volland, an insane, person, Defendant. In Chancery.

An affidavit having been duly made, as required by law, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, and that he cannot be found within the jurisdiction of this State, and the Sergeant having made a return upon the original process issued herein that the defendant is a non-resident of his bailiwick, and application having been duly made in writing in open Court for an order of publication against the said defendant to appear and answer a bill in chancery filed by the complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and an order of publication having been duly granted in open Court, it is therefore ordered that said defendant do appear here within 15 days after due publication hereof to answer the suit of complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and to do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alxandria Gazette, a newspaper published in Alexandria, Virginia, and that a copy be sent by registered mail by the Clerk of this Court to the last known place of address, residence and abode of defendant, to-wit: St. Elizabeth's Insane Asylum, Anacostia, D. C., as stated in the application for this order of publication which shall be certified by the Clerk of this court, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the courthouse of this court on or before the next rule day of this Court.

A Copy Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Robinson Moncure, P. Q.
253-4w.

In the Corporation Court of the City O? Alexandria, Virginia.

Aurelia C. Ockershausen, vs. Harry Ockershausen. In Chancery.

Upon written application of the Complainant stating specifically the last named place of abode of the defendant, and it appearing to the Court that process has been issud and returned by the sergeant of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, showing that the defendant was not found within the jurisdiction of this Court, the Court on the 15th day of October, 1917, doth grant the following order of publication:

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree absolutely divorcing the complainant, Aurelia C. Ockershausen, from the defendant, Harry Ockershausen, on the ground of wilful desertion for a period of more than three years, and for general relief, and an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Harry Ockershausen is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he do appear within fifteen days after due publication of said order of publication and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

And it is further ordered that a copy of said order of publication be published once a week for four successive weeks, in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, that a copy be posted at the front door of the Court House of the Corporation Court of said City on or before the next succeeding rule day after this order is entered and that a copy of said order of publication be sent to said defendant, by registered mail, at 2919 Olive Avenue, Northwest, Washington, D. C., his last known place of abode.

A Copy Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
H. Noel Garner, P. Q.
247-4w.

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7:47 a. m., Daily—Local to Harrisonburg. Buffet parlor car.

8:17 a. m., Daily—Local to stations between Manassas and Charlotteaville and limited beyond to Atlanta. Coaches only.

9:17 a. m., Daily—U. S. fast mail. Coaches and sleeping cars to Charlotte, Atlanta, Birmingham, New Orleans. Sleeping car Salisbury to Asheville. Dining car.

4:02 p. m., Daily except Sunday—Local to Harrisonburg. Buffet parlor car.

4:22 p. m., Daily—Local to Charlottesville. Parlor car to Warrenton, daily except Sunday.

5:12 p. m., Daily—Birmingham Special. Coaches and sleeping cars to Atlanta and Birmingham. Dining car. Daily tourist car to California.

5:22 p. m., Daily except Sunday—Local for Warrenton.

7:17 p. m., Daily—Augusta Special. Coaches and sleeping cars to Charlotte, Columbia, Aiken and Augusta. Sleeping cars to Asheville. Dining car.

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P. M.----12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 35, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 10, 11 55

Sunday and Holidays, same as above except trains at 5 00, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 10, 7 30, 7 50, and 8 10 A. M and 11 55 P. M.

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A M.---Week Days---5 35, 6 55, 7 55, 8 55, 10 30, 11 30.—P. M.—12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 35, 6 40, 7 35, 8 32, 10 20, 11 50.

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SPECIAL NOTICES

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Shoreham Hotel Company, a corporation, will be held on Friday, October 26th, next, in the office of Gardner L. Boothe, Alexandria, Virginia, for the purpose of electing officers and directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

GEO. C. MINNIGERODE, Sec'y.
250.-td

Notice.

Having administered on the estate of the late George Everett Toy, all persons having claims against same are requested to present them to me, fully certified, and all indebted to said estate are asked to make prompt settlement.

CATHERINE V. MILLER,
Administratrix.
827 Wolfe street, Alexandria, Va.,
247-10t.

Notice.

Having been appointed administratrix of the estate of the late Abel Douglas, all persons having claims against same are notified to present them, properly certified, and all those indebted to the estate are requested to settle their accounts promptly.

MRS. MARY DOUGLAS,
Administratrix.
247-10t.

Notice of Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Union Building Co., Inc., will be held on the 29th day of Oct. 1917, at 11 o'clock, a. m., at the principal office of the company, in the State of Virginia, 119 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, for the purpose of electing a board of directors and receiving and acting upon the reports of the officers, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. Dated the 10 day of Oct. 1917.

LOUIS BEYER, jr., Secretary.
2.4-12t.

Stockholders Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Washington Safe Deposit Company, Incorporated, will be held at the office of the company, No. 111 South Fairfax street, in the city of Alexandria, State of Virginia, on the sixth day of November, 1917, at 12 o'clock noon., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the said meeting.

JOHN C. SCHROEDER,
243-12t. Asst. Sec'y

Notice of Dissolution of Corporation.

Whereas the Directors of The Capitol Park Hotel Company, Inc., at a meeting held on the 9th day of October, 1917, passed resolutions looking to the dissolution of said Hotel Company and the winding up of the business of said Company.

Now therefore by direction of the Board of Directors, a meeting of the Stockholders and all others interested in said Company, has been called for October 29th, 1917, at one o'clock, P. M. at No. 119 South Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Virginia, to consider and vote upon said resolutions and all other matters which may be presented to said meeting.

FRANK C. HENRY, President.
Attest:—Edward L. Hillyer, Sec'y.
247-12t.

Auction Sale of a Desirable House And Two Lots in St. Elmo, Alexandria County, Virginia.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust bearing date on October 5, 1914, and duly recorded among the land records of the County of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book 144, page 368, given by Charles A. Valentine and wife to the undrsigned Trustees, to secure an indebtedness of fifteen hundred dollars, default having been made in the payment of said sum, at the request and by the direction of the holder of the said note the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction, on the premises, on Monday, October 29th, 1917, at 4 o'clock P. M., those lots or parcels of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon, known as lots 175 and 176, in a certain plan of lots called "St. Elmo," a plat of which is duly recorded among the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia. in Deed Book O No. 4, pages 440, et seq.

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